

Harper, Arthur Bud 72

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CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET

DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

B. S. A.

DATE May 31, 1972

Full Name Arthur "Bud" Harper
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

Address 55 White Street

City Rochester State N. Y. Zip 14608

Age 40 (This is important and should be exact)

Approximate age _____ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

Religion Protestant Nationality _____

Occupation Unemployed - formerly a truck drive

Education _____

Weight 225 Color White Height 5'10"

Color of hair Brown Color of eyes _____

Outstanding characteristics or interests _____

Married or single Married Children Two
(Number, ages, and names if possible)

Wife's name _____

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

<u>Unit #</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Date Registered</u>	<u>Date Resigned</u>
Troop 356	Rochester	N.Y.	S.M.	1/68	6/68
Troop 98	"	"	M.C.	6/68	6/70
Troop 100	"	"	S.A.	6/70	12/70

Special recognition Wood Badge

Recommended for Confidential File for following reasons:

Rape - approx. 1967

Arrested April 25, 1972 - 2 counts sodomy 1st degree

Sodomy committed on two children - boy and girl

Signed: _____
Scout Executive

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September 22, 1972

Mr. M. Gme Cruse
Scout Executive
Ctctiana Council, No. 397

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL
RE: Arthur Harper

Dear Mr. Cruse:

Thank you for your letter of September 14th and the enclosed newspaper clipping, concerning Arthur Harper. We have added this information to our file. This will be most helpful for identification purposes in the future, should he again try to register in Scouting.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Supervisor
Registration and Membership

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September 14, 1972

Mr. Joseph Earley
Personnel Division
Boy Scouts of America
North Brunswick, N. J. 08902

Dear Joe:

Attached herewith a newspaper clipping in regard to a Confidential Record Sheet we filed on Arthur Harper on May 31, 1972.

We trust this gives you additional information on this former Scouter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Gene".

M. Gene Cruse
Scout Executive

MGC:ed

Prison Term in Molesting Case

Arthur G. Harper, 40, of 278 Webster Ave., was sentenced yesterday by County Judge Edward O. Provenzano to up to seven years at Attica Correctional Facility in a case involving the molesting of two boys. Harper had been permitted to plead guilty to a reduced charge of second-degree sodomy.

Authorities reported that the attack, which occurred last April 21, involved a six-year-old boy and a nine-year-old boy.

Member of the Community Chest of Rochester and Monroe County, Inc.

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NTRAORGANIZATION COMMUNICATION

June 8, 1972

Mr. M. Gene Cruse
Scout Executive
Otetiana Council, No. 397

Personal and Confidential
Re: Arthur "Bud" Harper

Dear Mr. Cruse:

Thank you for the confidential record sheet concerning Mr. Harper. We have placed this information in our file and have taken steps to have his name deleted from our records.

We do, however, need more substantiating information that will support our placing this man on the Confidential File. Please send us a more detailed letter concerning the facts in this case and also we would appreciate a copy of the police or court record. This information is most important for future reference purposes and it would certainly strengthen our position of refusing to accept any future application for registration we might receive from this individual.

Sincerely,

To: _____

Paul Ernst, Supervisor
Registration and Membership

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We have given you everything we know from the police record - cannot get copy.

There was no news paper report - Thank goodness.

Ms. Cruse

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